



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Stuart Brown  
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/629,048 EXAMINER : Michael Apanius  
FILING DATE: July 28, 2003 ART UNIT : 3736  
FOR: TISSUE AND FLUID SAMPLING DEVICE

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Request for Continued Examination Under 37 CFR § 1.114 (2 pages)
2. Communication (1 page)
3. Check No. 24435 for \$395.00
4. Return Postcard

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to the undersigned's account, Deposit Account No. 50-0311 Ref. No. 26859-003. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A Beattie".

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**COMMUNICATION**

In response to the Advisory Action Before the Filing of an Appeal Brief, dated June 5, 2007, Applicant has on this date filed a Request for Continued Examination Under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

Although Applicant believes that no additional fees are due in connection with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No. 26859-003).

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